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PART IV.

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Season Report for the Week ending with the 38th Saturday in 1900 (22nd September).

	Rainfall.							Price of food grains in seers per rupee; and market fluctuations in the prices of food grains.	Market how supplied.	Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.	Prospects of season; tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient; areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.	Public health.	Remarks as t condition of agr tural stock, fail pasturage or fodd
	This week.		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week.		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1900.								
					This year.		Average of past ten years.		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5.					
	2		3		4		5		6	7	8	9	10	11	12
& M.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I. c.	This week. Past week. Seers. Seers.					
n.	...	28	...	...	24	32	...	..	... ...						
Taluk.	...	13	1	19	21	27	34	50	—13 23	Rice 7 7.	Well.	Standing crops both dry and wet (*i. e.*,) ragi, avare, togari, paddy and sugar-cane are reported to be in good condition. Horse gram was being sown in parts of Bangalore, Channapatna and Anekal taluks. Weeding operation was carried on largely in all the taluks. In the Channapatna taluk transplanting of paddy was also going on.	More rain is wanted now for the ragi corp. Tanks in the Channapatna and Kankanhalli taluks have received some supply of water.	Generally good. In Hoskote and Devanhalli, fever is still reported to prevail to a small extent.	Cattle healthy. C and water are able in su quantities.
...	1	30	...	57	16	19	28	80	—12 61	Ragi 12 12.					
...	...	18	...	68	15	4	35	48	—20 44	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
...	...	14	1	7	24	57	39	16	—14 59	Horse-					
...	...	61	...	66	22	24	31	14	— 8 90	gram 9½ 9½.					
...	...	54	1	10	23	46	35	36	—11 84	(*Ciser arietinum.*)					
...	...	73	..	89	24	41	33	41	— 9 ...						
...	...	40	...	89	26	44	38	47	—12 3	Jola					
...	...	48	...	64	18	3	31	31	—13 28	(*Sorgum Vulgare.*)					
...	1	70	...	86	21	63	32	49	—10 86						
...	...	2	...	79	17	73	17	66	+ 0 7	Rice 7¾ 7¾.					
...	...	26	...	69	23	34	16	34	+ 7 ...	Ragi 11¾ 11¾.	Do	Standing crops are reported to be in fair condition. Horse gram and paddy are being sown throughout the district. Sajje, jola and sessamum are being harvested in parts of the Bowringpet taluk.	Prospects are improving, but more rain is needed. Wind prevails. Food stocks are available in sufficient quantities, but prices continue high.	Generally good. Fever is prevalent in parts of the Goribidnur taluk.	Water and fodde ple.
...	..	30	...	58	23	56	15	67	+ 7 89	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
...	...	...	...	29	17	99	16	9	+ 1 90	Horse-					
...	..	27	..	80	19	45	16	34	+ 3 11	gram 10 9¾.					
..	..	38	1	9	21	75	18	19	+ 3 56	(*Ciser arietinum.*)					
...	...	...	...	5	19	33	11	60	+ 7 73						
...	...	12	...	87	17	7	12	64	+ 4 43						
...	1	26	1	34	19	66	17	7	+ 2 59						
...	...	...	...	82	19	43	15	77	+ 3 66						
...	...	...	...	80	30	38	15	83	+14 55						
...	...	15	1	91	23	88	26	49	— 2 61	Rice 8 8.	Do	Standing wet crops under tanks and wells, as well as dry crops, are in good condition, except in the Chiknayakanhalli taluk where dry crops are reported to be in need of rain. Sugar-cane in Tumkur, Gubbi and Kunigal, jola in	Prospects are improving throughout the district. Prices continue high. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient.	Generally good...	Cattle generally in condition. Wat cattle available. der reported to
...	...	55	...	64	13	79	16	..	— 2 21	Ragi 16 16.					
				65	8	92	17	71	— 8 79	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					

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